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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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 03 FC:1201 440.00 DA
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 05 FC:1051 130.00 DA

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of **\$808** as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$1708** for a Large Entity

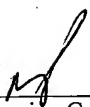
- **\$770** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$808**

- **\$430** for **5** independent claims over 3.
- **\$378** for **21** total claims over 20.

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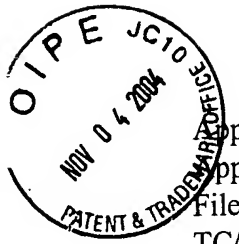
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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/743,321
Applicant(s) : Peter ELMS et al.
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, dated April 5, 2004, in the above-identified application.

1. **Declaration for Patent Application:**

- ☒ **Enclosed.** This application was filed without an executed Declaration . A Declaration for Patent Application is executed by the following inventors:
David K. Black, Emmett H. Fremaux, Niten Malik and
Carl Almond
- ☒ **Enclosed.** In lieu of the Declaration for Patent Application signed by Mr. Peter Elms, a Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a) is hereby submitted to allow other inventors to sign the Declaration for Patent Application for the missing inventor, Peter Elms. Attached to this Petition is a Declaration in support of this Petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.47(a).

2. **Grant of Power of Attorney by Assignee, and Certificate Under 37 CFR §3.73(b):**

- ☒ **Not Enclosed.** This application was filed without an executed Power of Attorney.

3. **Assignment:**

- ☒ **Enclosed.** An assignment of the invention to **Accenture Global Services GmbH** and a PTO Form-1595, Recordation Form Cover Sheet.
- ☐ **Not Enclosed.** An assignment will be filed at a later date. Please recognize this entity as the assignee on any publications.

4. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16):

CLAIMS FOR FEE CALCULATION				
	Number Filed	Number Extra	at Rate of	Basic Fee Utility \$790.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	41 - 20 =	21	\$ 18.00 each =	+ \$ 378.00
Independent (Claims 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	8 - 3 =	5	\$ 88.00 each =	+ \$ 440.00
Multiple dependent claim fee (\$300.00)				\$ 0.00
Surcharge under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e)				\$ 130.00
Subtotal				\$ 1,738.00
Deduct ½ the Amount for Small Entity				\$ 0.00
TOTAL FILING FEE =				\$ 1,738.00

5. ☒ Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Extension</u>	<u>Fee for Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 430.00	\$ 215.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 980.00	\$ 490.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$ 1,530.00	\$ 765.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> five months	\$ 2,080.00	\$ 1040.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$ 2,080.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.

6. Fee Payment:

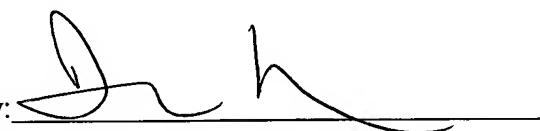
- ☒ Authorization is given to charge **\$ 3,948.00** to Deposit Account 50-1349 for fees including: the \$790.00 filing fee, \$818.00 additional claims fee, the \$130.00 surcharge as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e), the \$2,080.00 fee for the five-month petition for extension of time, and the \$130.00 fee for the petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a).
- ☒ Authorization is given to charge **\$ 40.00** for the Recordation Fee of the Assignment filed as noted in paragraph 2 above.

7. ☒ **Except** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1349. This paragraph is intended to be a **CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3)
8. Other:
- ☒ **Part 2 – Notice to File Missing Parts of Application**
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ PTO-1449, __ documents as listed
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Claim for Priority
- ☐ Certified copy of Priority Document
- ☐ Sequence Listing

If there are any questions regarding the above-captioned patent application, please contact applicant's representative at the number given below.

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